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Ref: Berlin's 427, rptd Bonn 375, London 130, Paris 119, Moscow 143, Poland  
USAREUR 46.

Berlin's 429, rptd Bonn 377, London 132, Paris 121, Moscow 144, Poland  
USAREUR 47.

Paris' 1876, rptd Berlin 29, Bonn 132, London 406.

**interpretation**

Apparent inconsistencies in French instructions as reported Berlin's 427,  
429 and Fonoff position outlined in Paris' 1876. Conversations with French in  
Washington and Paris indicated complete accord between French and US positions  
and no mention of limitation upon employment of weapons by West Berlin police or  
Allied troops. Can Embassy Paris clarify?

Department (Kohler) discussed matter of restriction on use British troops  
on S-Bahn property with Greenhill, Counselor British Embassy. ~~discussing restriction~~  
~~discussing restriction~~ Although lacking background on subject, Greenhill  
undertook relay Department's views to Fonoff London. Department has received no  
response and assumes results will be made known Berlin. Embassy London should  
inquire ~~whether~~ whether British continue insist on granting East Germans privileged  
sanctuary on S-Bahn property or are ready accept common US-French position that  
Allied Commandants must have free choice as to how and where to dispose troops  
to accomplish mission.

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